

# Montgomery County Extension Fair



**August 13-14, 2016**

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Virginia Tech, Blacksburg**



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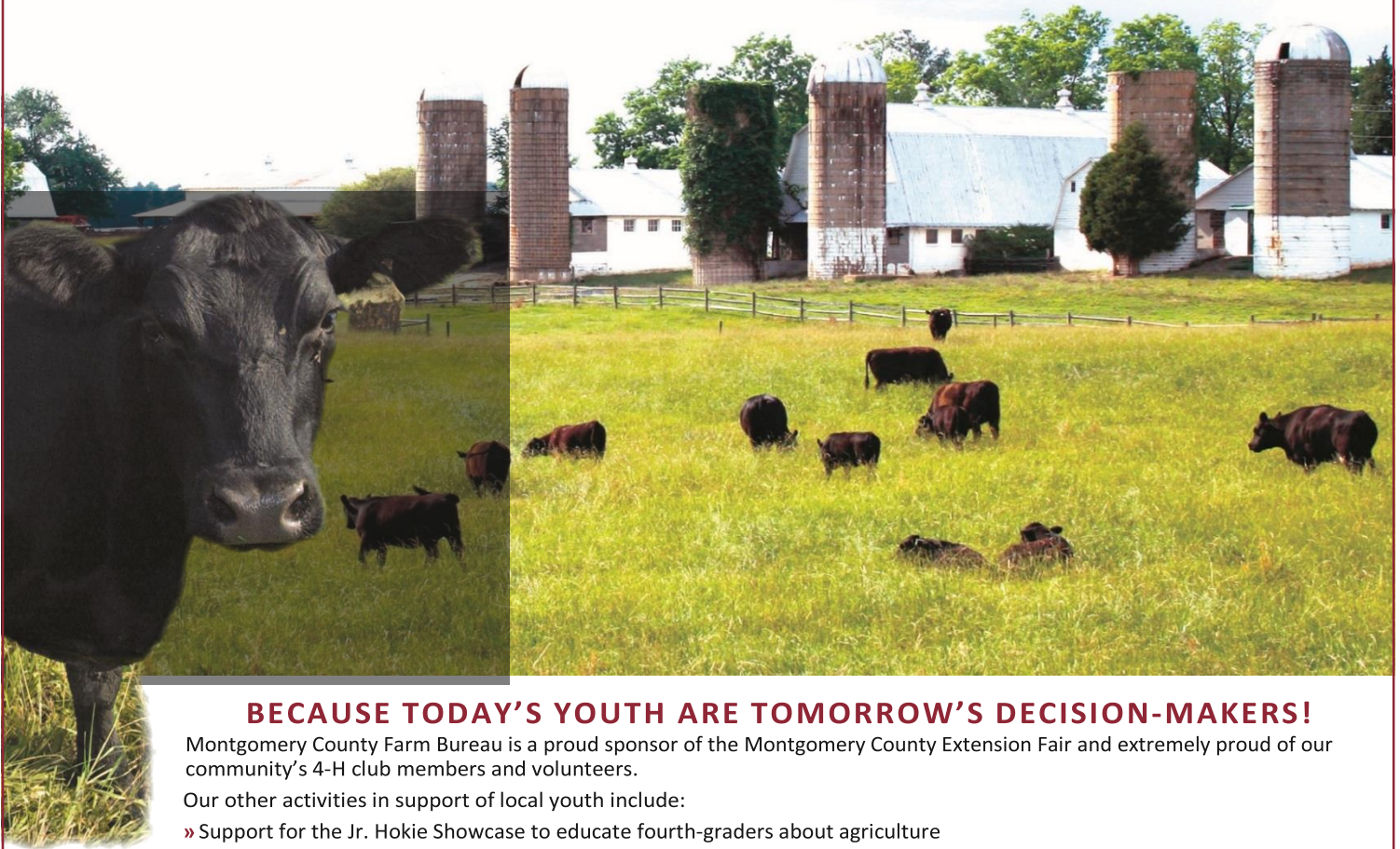
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# Montgomery County Farm Bureau

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Montgomery County Farm Bureau is a proud sponsor of the Montgomery County Extension Fair and extremely proud of our community's 4-H club members and volunteers.

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- » Support for the Jr. Hokie Showcase to educate fourth-graders about agriculture
- » Awarding scholarships to graduates of Montgomery high schools who plan to pursue agriculture-related degrees
- » Sponsoring charter buses to transport local FFA members to the State Fair of Virginia
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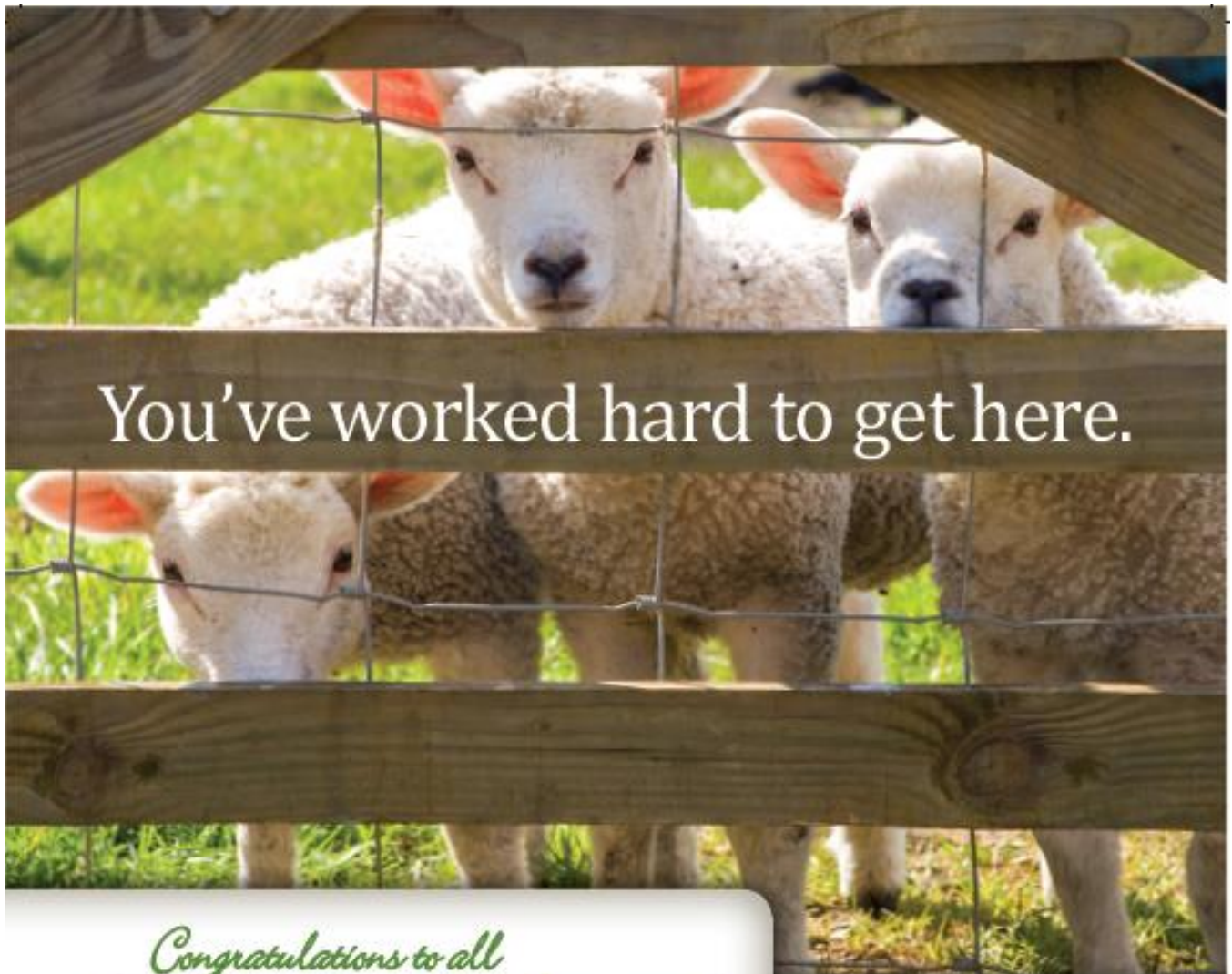
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## **Schedule of Activities**

### **Friday – August 12**

4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Fair Set-Up, Snacks provided

5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Judges Orientation

### **Saturday – August 13**

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Livestock Arrives

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Set up all exhibits and displays

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Judging of all exhibits

9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Opening Program

10:00 a.m. – completed Livestock Show

10:00 a.m. – completed Pet Show

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Demonstrations and Activities

Tentative List of Demonstrations and Activities:

Shooting Education

Foods and Food Challenge

Drones

Robotics

Embryology

Horticulture and Gardening

Stockmen's and Hippology

Pony Rides

4-H STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math)

Antique Tractors

2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Open Competitions

Zucchini and Squash Racer – Must be designed and entered beforehand (entry form in Appendix)

Egg Drop Competition – Will be designed at fair, teams of up to 4

Agriculture Olympics Games

12:00 – 4:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits Open to the Public

### **Sunday – August 14**

Horseplay Benefit Show, Blue Ridge Horse Show Sanctioned Show

8:00 – 9:45 a.m. Schooling

10:00 – 4:00 p.m. Horse Show

12:00 – 3:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits Open to the Public

**LUNCH CONCESSIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY**

# EXHIBITS

## General Rules Governing All Exhibits

1. All youth exhibits must be the work of the 4-H member (also open to non 4-H members) and must represent project work completed in the 4-H year 2015-2016.
2. Only exhibits listed in this catalog will be accepted for judging.
3. Youth and adults can enter a maximum of (1) educational exhibit (youth only) and three (3) other exhibits per category (listed below) unless rules indicate otherwise.
4. All exhibits must be entered at designated times.
5. No exhibits may be removed before 3:00 p.m. on Sunday
6. Youth ages 5-8 (Cloverbuds) are eligible to participate in many fair activities, including exhibits. All cloverbud entries are non-competitive. Cloverbuds will receive participation ribbons and other 4-H memorabilia/souvenirs.
7. Age divisions for youth exhibits are based on the 4-H year.
  - Cloverbuds (5-8) as of September 30, 2016
  - Junior Division (9-13) as of September 30, 2016
  - \*Senior Division (14-19) as of September 30, 2016
  - \*Any members who have passed their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday and have not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday on October 1, 2016 are eligible for senior competition.

## Individual Youth Educational Exhibits

### Rules:

1. Youth (4-H and non 4-H members) may enter one (1) educational exhibit using posters and/or real objects to show knowledge about a particular topic or project.
2. All exhibits must be deemed appropriate, by fair staff, for a youth exhibit. Exhibits having inappropriate content will not be allowed.
3. Your exhibit must fit within a space 36" long, 18" wide and not over 24" tall.
4. To reserve table space for your exhibit, call the Extension Office at 382-5790 one week prior to the fair with the name and description of your exhibit. **You must pre-register your exhibit by August 5, 2016.**

### Criteria for Judging:

Educational value, interest and originality, appearance and quality of display material.

### Awards:

Ribbons will be provided for all educational exhibits. Best in Show ribbons will be provided for the top two (2) junior and senior exhibits. Other prizes may also be provided as fair funds allow for the purchase of these items.

## **Category Exhibits**

### **Rules:**

1. Youth and adults may enter a maximum of 3 exhibits per category. Examples of possible entries are listed under each category but entries are not limited to these examples.
2. Fair staff reserves the right to develop sub-categories for judging depending on the number of entries received.
3. Ribbons will be awarded for every category entry based on the Danish System – Blue, Red, or White.
4. Ribbons will be awarded to the top three entries in each category and in each age division (Juniors, Seniors, and Adults). For example, one 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place ribbon will be awarded to the top three entries respectively in the category, Horticulture, Junior Division.
5. A best in show rosette and prize will be awarded to the Junior Best in Show, Senior Best in Show, and Adult Best in Show for each category – Horticulture, Foods and Baked Goods, Food Preservation, Photography, Creative Arts and Crafts, STEM, and Other Collections
6. Pre-registration for division exhibits is not required.

## **CATEGORIES**

### **Horticulture:**

Fresh Garden Vegetables  
Fruit  
Flowers  
Terrariums  
Plants

### **Foods and Baked Goods:**

Cookies, Brownies, etc.  
Breads  
Cakes  
Pies  
Candies

### **Food Preservation:**

Vegetables  
Fruits  
Pickles  
Preserves, Jams, Jellies

### **Photography:**

Scenery  
Nature Photography  
People  
Black and White

### **Creative Arts and Crafts:**

Sewing, Knitting, Needlepoint, etc.  
Paintings, Charcoals, Water Colors, etc.  
Leather Crafts  
Ceramics  
Decoupage  
Basket Weaving  
Decorated Gourds and Birdhouses  
Jewelry  
Woodworking

### **STEM**

#### **Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math:**

Robotics  
Recycling, Trash to Treasures  
Models – Cars, Airplanes, Legos, etc.  
Leaf Collections  
Rock Collections  
Insect Collections

### **Other Collections:**

Stamp Collections  
Coins Collections  
Medal Collections



## LIVESTOCK SHOWS – SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

### General Livestock Rules

1. Animals must be pre-registered at the Montgomery County Extension Office. Entry forms are due on August 5. Late entries will be accepted, although entry fees double after August 5.
2. Cattle, Sheep, Goat, and Hog shows are open to all Virginia 4-H and FFA members between the ages of 9 to 19 based on 4-H year. In other words, youth must be between the ages of 9 and 19 as of September 30, 2016. Showmanship classes are available for Cloverbuds. An adult or teen 4-H member must control the animal for Cloverbuds using a halter and lead line. Cloverbuds can then hold a separate lead line during the show. Showmanship exhibitors will fall into one of three age divisions: (1) Cloverbuds – Ages 5 to 8 as of September 30, 2016, (2) Juniors – Ages 9 to 13 as of September 30, 2016, and (3) Seniors – Ages 14 to 19 as of September 30, 2016.
3. All exhibitors are required to participate in Showmanship. Animals shown in Showmanship must be entered in the show. Exhibitors, with the exception of Cloverbuds, must show their own animals in showmanship classes.
4. Animals must be healthy, and be free of infectious disease. Upon arrival to the facility, animals may be inspected by a Veterinarian. The Livestock Committee or Veterinarian shall have the authority to remove from the grounds any animal found to have contagious diseases or other conditions that warrant removal. Such animals shall be immediately removed from the grounds and will not be eligible for exhibition.
5. ARRIVAL, CHECK-IN, & **TENTATIVE** SHOW TIMES:  
Check-In: 8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. – All animals must be on site by 9:30 a.m.  
Hog Show: 10:30 a.m.  
Cattle Show: immediately following hog show  
Goat Show: 1:00 p.m.  
Sheep Show: immediately following goat show  
Release: 4:30 p.m. – All animals will be released at 4:30 p.m.  
Show management reserves the right to change show schedule based on the number of entries.
6. Premiums will not be paid if livestock are taken out before scheduled release time.
7. **Prize Money**  
Grand Champion Market Beef - \$75  
Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef - \$50  
Grand Champion Breeding Heifer - \$75  
Reserve Grand Champion Breeding Heifer - \$50

Grand Champion Market Lamb - \$75  
Reserve Grand Champion Market Lamb - \$50  
Grand Champion Commercial Ewe - \$75  
Reserve Grand Champion Commercial Ewe - \$50  
Grand Champion Breeding Doe - \$75  
Reserve Grand Champion Breeding Doe - \$50

Grand Champion Market Goat - \$75  
Reserve Grand Champion Market Goat - \$50  
Grand Champion Market Hog - \$75  
Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog - \$50

8. **Premium money will be mailed to the exhibitor after the show. All exhibitors must fill out and submit a W-9 form with their registration. This will be needed to process the check for your premiums. If a W-9 form is not on file for an exhibitor, premium money will be forfeited back into the general funds. You can download a W-9 form at this site:**  
**<http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf>**
9. The Livestock Committee reserves the right to ask that any unruly animal or exhibitor be removed from the grounds. All animals will be kept under control at all times by handler/owner.
10. ABSOLUTELY NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OR SMOKING IN LIVESTOCK AREA.
11. **Pen/stall space will be allocated based on entries. Exhibitors must furnish their own bedding for sheep, goat, and hog pens. No bedding is allowed in the arena area. Exhibitors will be responsible for cleaning their penning area prior to being released. Exhibitors failing to clean their area will forfeit premiums.**
12. Animals may be entered and exhibited in only one class. Animals shown in market classes are not eligible to be shown in breeding classes, and vice-versa.
13. All market animals must be castrated and healed.
14. All decisions rendered by show management and judge are considered final and are not subject to appeal.
15. All tack and blocking chutes will be located in areas designated by livestock committee.

#### **Department A: Beef Cattle**

Rules:

1. General Livestock Rules Apply
2. Exhibitors may show a maximum of 4 total cattle (any combination of market steers/heifers and breeding heifers).
3. Prospect Market Steer/Heifer Show –

- a. Weight breaks for classes will be determined by show management upon arrival.
- 4. Breeding Heifer Show –
  - a. Heifers of all breeds will be shown together. Both purebred/registered and commercial heifers are eligible. Heifers will show by age.
  - b. Heifers must be born between 9/1/2014 and 12/31/2015 to be eligible to show.
  - c. Classes will be determined by show management based on entries.
- 5. Premiums –
  - a. Premiums and ribbons will be awarded through 6<sup>th</sup> place in each class.
  - b. Premium amounts –
    - 1<sup>st</sup> place (\$10), 2<sup>nd</sup> place (\$8), 3<sup>rd</sup> place (\$6), 4<sup>th</sup> place (\$4), 5<sup>th</sup> place (\$2), 6<sup>th</sup> place (\$1)

#### **Department B: Sheep Show**

- 1. General Livestock Rules Apply
- 2. All sheep must have official scrapie identification for show/exhibition.
- 3. Exhibitors may show a maximum of 4 total sheep (any combination of market lambs and breeding ewes).
- 4. Market Lamb Show –
  - a. Lambs must weigh at least 70 pounds.
  - b. Market lambs may be either wethers or ewes, born after January 1, 2016.
  - c. Market lambs must be shown with a maximum of ¼ inch of fleece.
  - d. No shearing on show day inside arena.
  - e. Lambs will be weighed upon arrival, and weight classes determined by show management.
- 5. Commercial Ewe Show –
  - a. All ewes must be born January 1, 2016 or after.
  - b. Both purebred/registered and commercial ewes are eligible. Ewes will show by weight.
  - c. Ewes will be weighed upon arrival, and weight classes determined by show management.
- 6. Premiums –
  - a. Premiums and ribbons will be awarded through 6<sup>th</sup> place in each class.
  - b. Premium amounts –
    - 1<sup>st</sup> place (\$10), 2<sup>nd</sup> place (\$8), 3<sup>rd</sup> place (\$6), 4<sup>th</sup> place (\$4), 5<sup>th</sup> place (\$2), 6<sup>th</sup> place (\$1)

#### **Department C: Goat Show**

- 1. General Livestock Rules Apply
- 2. All goats must have official scrapie verification for show/exhibition.
- 3. Exhibitors may show a maximum of 4 total goats (any combination of market goats and breeding does).

4. Breeding Does –
  - a. Both purebred/registered and commercial does are eligible. Does will show by weight. All breeds will be shown together.
  - b. All does must be born January 1, 2016 or after.
  - c. Does will be weighed upon arrival, and weight classes determined by show management.
5. Market Goats –
  - a. Market goats may be wethers or does born after January 1, 2016.
  - b. Market goats will be weighed upon arrival, and weight classes determined by show management.
6. Premiums –
  - a. Premiums and ribbons will be awarded through 6<sup>th</sup> place in each class.
  - b. Premium amounts –  
1<sup>st</sup> place (\$10), 2<sup>nd</sup> place (\$8), 3<sup>rd</sup> place (\$6), 4<sup>th</sup> place (\$4), 5<sup>th</sup> place (\$2), 6<sup>th</sup> place (\$1)

#### **Department D: Market Hog Show**

Rules:

1. General Livestock Rules Apply
2. A maximum of 4 market hogs per exhibitor may be shown.
3. Market hogs may be either barrows or gilts.
4. Market hogs will be weighed upon arrival, and weight classes determined by show management. Exhibitors should try to have their hogs in the 150 – 280 lb. weight range.
5. Premiums –
  - a. Premiums and ribbons will be awarded through 6<sup>th</sup> place in each class.
  - b. Premium amounts –  
1<sup>st</sup> place (\$10), 2<sup>nd</sup> place (\$8), 3<sup>rd</sup> place (\$6), 4<sup>th</sup> place (\$4), 5<sup>th</sup> place (\$2), 6<sup>th</sup> place (\$1)

**Horseplay 4-H Club Benefit Show at the Montgomery County Extension Fair  
Alphin-Stuart Arena, Virginia Tech, Sunday, August 14, 2016  
Blue Ridge Horse Force Sanctioned**

**Schooling allowed from 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM. Show begins at 10:00 AM**

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|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1. California Warm-up (All Day)       | 20.*BRHF Equitation Medal                       |
| 2.*Model Hunter Horse/Pony            | 21.*Hunt Seat Equitation on the Flat- Youth     |
| 3.*Hunter Fitting and Showmanship     | 22.*Hunt Seat Equitation on the Flat- Adult     |
| 4.*Intermediate Hunter Rider W/T/C    | 23.*Low Hunter o/f- 2'9"                        |
| 5.*Intermediate Hunter Rider o/f- 2'  | 24.*Low Hunter o/f- 2'9"                        |
| 6.*Intermediate Hunter Rider o/f- 2'  | 25.*Low Hunter Under Saddle                     |
| 7.*Baby Green Hunter o/f- 2'          | 26.*Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony W/T              |
| 8.*Baby Green Hunter o/f- 2'          | 27.*Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony W/T/C            |
| 9.*Baby Green Hunter Under Saddle     | 28.*Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony-- 18" Crossrails |
| 10.*Hopeful Hunter Pony o/f- 2'3"     | 29.*Beginner Hunter Rider W/T                   |
| 11.*Hopeful Hunter Pony o/f- 2'3"     | 30.*Beginner Hunter Rider W/T/C                 |
| 12.*Hopeful Hunter Pony Under Saddle  | 31.*Beginner Hunter Rider- 18" Cross Rails      |
| 13.*Hopeful Hunter Horse o/f- 2'3"    | 32.*Hunter Pleasure Youth- W/T                  |
| 14.*Hopeful Hunter Horse o/f- 2'3"    | 33.*Hunter Pleasure Youth- W/T/C                |
| 15.*Hopeful Hunter Horse Under Saddle | 34.*Hunter Pleasure Hack Youth (2 2ft. fences)  |
| 16.*Schooling Hunter o/f- 2'6"        | 35.*Hunter Pleasure Adult- W/T                  |
| 17.*Schooling Hunter o/f- 2'6"        | 36.*Hunter Pleasure Adult- W/T/C                |
| 18.*Schooling Hunter Under Saddle     | 37.*Hunter Pleasure Hack Adult (2 2ft. fences)  |
| 19.*Hunter Equitation o/f- 2'6"       |   |

**\*- Indicates BRHF Sanctioned Classes**

## Rules and Regulations:

1. All classes that are notated with an \* are BRHF sanctioned, however, you do not have to be a BRHF member to enter. **IF YOU ARE A BRHF MEMBER, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO READ AND KNOW THE RULES FOR THE CLASSES YOU ARE ENTERING. IMPROPER CROSS ENTRY OF BRHF MEMBERS MAY RESULT IN LOSS OF YEAR END AWARD POINTS FOR THIS OR ANY BRHF SANCTIONED SHOW.** BRHF Rules can be found at [http://brhf.com/Forms/BRHF rules and divisions.pdf](http://brhf.com/Forms/BRHF_rules_and_divisions.pdf)
2. All class entry fees are **\$10.00**.
3. All entries must show a negative Coggins within the last 12 months.
4. Show management reserves the right to add, cancel, or combine classes.
5. As this is a 4-H horse show, **youth who will not reach the age of 9 years old by September 30, 2016 will not be permitted to ride or handle a horse on their own.** They are, however, permitted to show in classes while on a leadline.
6. Goodwill and sportsmanship are essential for a fun and safe show for all. Management reserves the right to bar any animal, exhibitor, owner, or spectator for inappropriate conduct. Horses who are obviously lame will be asked to retire from the show ring.
7. Show attire is encouraged, but not required. **All riders must wear ASTM/SEI certified helmets at all times while mounted.**
8. Concessions will be provided on the grounds.
9. A two-minute gate call and a five-minute tack change will be enforced.
10. No alcohol is permitted on the grounds.
11. Neither Virginia Tech, Blue Ridge Horse Force, Horseplay 4-H Club, nor any of their members, families, organizers, property owners or employees shall be held responsible for accident, damage, injury, illness, or loss to animals, personal property, exhibitors, spectators, or any other persons on the show grounds.
12. Dogs must be on a leash at all times.
13. (\*) Divisions and classes refer to BRHF rules.
15. We encourage you to print and fill out the entry form and 4-H waiver provided and bring them with you to our show. **If a rider is under the age of 18, a PARENT must sign the waiver, not a trainer or other adult. Equine Waiver Form can be found at this site:**  
**<http://www.pubs.ext.vt.edu/388/388-035/388-035-PDF.pdf>**  
You will need to present your negative Coggins test at the time of registration.



16. Management reserves the right to combine classes if entries warrant.

17. 1st-6th place ribbons awarded in each class. Champion and Reserve Championship ribbons will be awarded in the following divisions:

- Intermediate Hunter Rider
- Baby Green Hunter
- Hopeful Hunter Pony
- Hopeful Hunter Horse
- Schooling Hunter
- Low Hunter
- Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony
- Beginner Hunter Rider
- Hunter Pleasure Youth
- Hunter Pleasure Adult

**For more information:**

Contact Holly Butler (hollyb1213@aol.com)

**Directions to Alphin-Stuart Arena:**

Take the VA Tech Exit off I-81 (Exit 188B.) Follow the signs to VA Tech, 460 West. Pass through the stoplight at the main entrance to VA Tech (Southgate Drive.) At the next intersection go under the bridge and take the second exit (Price's Fork Road.) After crossing the bridge over 460, turn left at the first stoplight (Plantation Road.) Continue on Plantation Road. You will see the sheep center on the right. Alphin-Stuart Livestock Arena will be on your left. Go past the arena for parking on the left. **If using a GPS, enter Plantation Road, Blacksburg, VA.**

## **Rules for Pet Show – Dogs, Cats, and Rabbits**

1. Open to youth, ages 5 to 18 as of September 30, 2016
2. All cats and dogs must have current “rabies certificate”. Rabies tags are not proof of inoculations – must bring rabies certificate. If you do not have a current certificate, you will not be allowed to participate.
3. Rabbits must be disease/illness free. Rabbits exhibiting signs of disease/illness will be asked to leave the fairgrounds.
4. Dogs and cats must be born prior to April 1 of the current year. Rabbits must be over the age of 4 months old.
5. Youth must be able to control the pet at all times. Dogs must be on leash. Any pet not safely handled by the child will be excused from the ring.
6. Rabbits will be judged on grooming, neatness of appearance, general disposition, and general health. There will also be a costume class for rabbits.
7. Classes for dogs and cats will include:  
  
Tallest, Shortest, Longest Ears, Shortest Ears, Longest Body, Shortest Body, Most Original Costume, Handler/Pet Look Alike (Natural or Costume), and Best Trick

## Rules for Zucchini & Squash Races

1. Entries accepted from individuals or from teams of up to 3.
2. Participants should bring their entry to the scheduled race time, 2:00 p.m. at Alphin-Stuart Arena
3. Prizes will be given for the following ages divisions - Cloverbuds (ages 5 to 8), Juniors (ages 9 to 13), and Seniors (ages 14 and above) within each weight class. Age divisions are based on the 4-H year, age as of September 30, 2016. If entry numbers are low, fair management reserves the right to combine age divisions and weight classes to provide greater competition.
4. Weight Classes – Under 1.49 lbs, 1.5-2.4 lbs, 2.51-4 lbs (class weights may be adjusted according to the rules and entries)
5. Race car must be made of real squash or zucchini and must be the main part of the entry.
6. Decorate and name your squash or zucchini (special award for best design).
7. The squash or zucchini itself may be no longer than 12" in length. Decorations adorning the squash/zucchini may extend no more than 1" from the "front end" or "back end" of the squash/zucchini. The entire squash/zucchini racer may be no wider than 8", including wheels and decorations.
8. Wheel axles must be incorporated into the squash/zucchini itself. It's not acceptable to just attach a squash/zucchini to an existing "vehicle" that rolls. This means no attaching a squash/zucchini to a skateboard, roller skate, toy car, etc.
9. Squash/zucchini races must have 3 or 4 wheels. Wheels can be any type – wooden, metal, vegetable, or plastic.
10. Each racer must be self-propelled, not motors or auxiliary propulsion
11. Each complete squash/zucchini racer will be weighed upon entry and must not exceed 4 lbs.
12. The squash/zucchini racer must be sturdy enough to compete in multiple races.

## **Rules for Hay Bale Decoration Competition**

1. Entries accepted for teams of up to 8.
2. Teams can decorate round hay bales from Friday, August 12, 10 a.m. through Saturday, August 13, 10 a.m. Hay bales will be judged Saturday afternoon. Winners will be announced by 3:30 p.m. on Saturday afternoon.
3. Teams must register for a hay bale by Friday, August 5, 2016. We are limited to 5 hay bales (donated by a local farmer), so we will provide these on a first come, first served basis in the order that we receive entry forms.
4. Teams must provide their own materials for decorations. Be sure to google “fair hay bale decorations” for ideas from other county and state fairs.
5. Ribbons will be awarded to all participants in the competition. Prizes will be awarded for the top 2 teams.
6. Teams must clean up area around hay bales and gather any materials used for decorations by Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m.

# **APPENDIX**

**Entry Tags – Exhibits****Make multiple copies as needed.****NAMES of exhibitors should be written ON THE BACK of the entry tag.**

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ENTRY TAG</b> <b>Montgomery County 4-H Fair</b></p> <p>Division: Junior _____ Senior _____ Cloverbud _____</p> <p>Age of Exhibitor _____</p> <p>Division _____</p> <p>Class Name _____</p> <p>Category # and Name _____</p> <p>Description of Entry _____</p> <p>Exhibitor name should be written on back of tag.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ENTRY TAG</b> <b>Montgomery County 4-H Fair</b></p> <p>Division: Junior _____ Senior _____ Cloverbud _____</p> <p>Age of Exhibitor _____</p> <p>Division _____</p> <p>Class Name _____</p> <p>Category # and Name _____</p> <p>Description of Entry _____</p> <p>Exhibitor name should be written on back of tag.</p>
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## Entry Form – Livestock Shows

Entries due by August 5, 2016

1. One entry form per exhibitor
2. Number of animals must be stated on entry form
3. Please complete all information and include entry fees
4. Entry Fee: \$5.00 per exhibitor – Make checks payable to Treasurer – Virginia Tech
5. Mail entry form and fee to: Montgomery County Extension  
755 Roanoke Street, Suite 1G  
Christiansburg, VA 24073

Exhibitor: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor Birth Day: \_\_\_\_\_

### Department A: Cattle Show

Number of Prospect Market Steers/Heifers: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Breeding Heifers: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

### Department B: Sheep Show

Number of Market Lambs: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Commercial Ewes: \_\_\_\_\_

### Department C: Goat Show

Number of Breeding Does: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Market Goats: \_\_\_\_\_

### Department D: Market Hog Show

Number of Market Hogs \_\_\_\_\_

## Entry Form- Horseplay 4-H Benefit Horse Show

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## Entry Form – Pet Show

Entries due by August 5, 2016

1. One entry form per exhibitor
2. Please complete all information and include entry fees
3. Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry – Make checks payable to Treasurer – Virginia Tech
4. Mail entry form and fee to: Montgomery County Extension  
755 Roanoke Street, Suite 1G  
Christiansburg, VA 24073

Exhibitor (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor Birth Day: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle pet or pets you are entering:      Dog      Cat      Rabbit  
(only 1 entry per species allowed)

Name of Dog: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date of Dog: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Cat: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date of Cat: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Rabbit: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date of Rabbit: \_\_\_\_\_

## Entry Form – Squash and Zucchini Racers

Entries due by August 5, 2016

1. One entry form per exhibitor or team of up to three
2. Please complete all information and include entry fees
3. Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry – Make checks payable to Treasurer – Virginia Tech
4. Mail entry form and fee to: Montgomery County Extension  
755 Roanoke Street, Suite 1G  
Christiansburg, VA 24073

Exhibitor (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address (Team Contact): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor Birth Day: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of Racer:

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Short Description of Racer:

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## Entry Form – Hay Bale Competition

Entries due by August 5, 2016

1. One entry form per team of up to 8
2. Please complete all information and include entry fees
3. Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry – Make checks payable to Treasurer – Virginia Tech
4. Mail entry form and fee to: Montgomery County Extension  
755 Roanoke Street, Suite 1G  
Christiansburg, VA 24073

Exhibitor (s): \_\_\_\_\_

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Address (Team Contact): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor Birth Day: \_\_\_\_\_

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Short Description of Hay Bale Decorations or Theme:

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